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Read Nehemiah 5:1-13

- 1. There is economic trouble in Jerusalem. What were the three reasons given? (Hint: Big families, their real estate was mortgaged, they had to borrow money to pay taxes)
- 2. What seemed to happen to the building of the wall?
- 3. Who were the people bringing this oppression to the people according to v.5?
- 4. Discuss having to sell your children into slavery in order to survive.
- 5. Read vs.6-8 and then read Exodus 22:25-27 What were some of the nobles doing?
- 6. What did Nehemiah appeal to in v.9 that ought to contribute to our actions today?
- 7. What was Nehemiah's directive to the people who were oppressing their brothers?
- 8. What lessons can we learn from this?